

Advanced Algebra  
Homework 3.3  
Solving Quadratic Equations by Factoring

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Period \_\_\_\_\_

**SHOW ALL WORK.**

Complete Parts A & B OR Parts B & C

**PART A:**

**Factor the expression, if possible.**

1.  $x^2 + 6x + 5$

2.  $x^2 - 7x + 10$

3.  $a^2 - 13a + 22$

4.  $r^2 + 15r + 56$

5.  $q^2 - 11q + 28$

6.  $b^2 + 3b - 40$

7.  $x^2 - 36$

8.  $2x^2 + 5x + 3$

9.  $3n^2 + 7n + 4$

10.  $9x^2 - 1$

**Solve the equation.**

11.  $x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$

12.  $x^2 - 11x + 30 = 0$

13.  $x^2 + 2x - 35 = 0$

14.  $a^2 - 49 = 0$

15.  $b^2 - 6b + 9 = 0$

16.  $c^2 + 5c + 4 = 0$

**PART B:**

**Factor the expression, if possible.**

17.  $p^2 + 2p + 4$

18.  $x^2 - 4x - 12$

19.  $x^2 - 7x - 18$

20.  $c^2 - 9c - 18$

21.  $x^2 - 9x + 36$

22.  $m^2 + 8m - 65$

23.  $b^2 - 81$

24.  $4r^2 + 5r + 1$

25.  $6p^2 + 5p + 1$

26.  $11z^2 + 2z - 9$

27.  $15x^2 - 2x - 8$

28.  $4y^2 - 5y - 4$

29.  $14m^2 + m - 3$

30.  $9d^2 - 13d - 10$

31.  $4r^2 - 25$

32.  $49n^2 - 16$

33.  $12x^2 - 4x - 40$

34.  $18z^2 + 36z + 16$

35.  $32v^2 - 2$

36.  $6u^2 - 24u$

37.  $12m^2 - 36m + 27$

**Solve the equation.**

38.  $n^2 - 6n = 0$

39.  $t^2 + 10t + 25 = 0$

40.  $w^2 - 16m + 48 = 0$

41.  $m^2 = 7m$

42.  $14x - 49 = x^2$

43.  $-3y + 28 = y^2$

44.  $16x^2 - 1 = 0$

45.  $11q^2 - 44 = 0$

46.  $14s^2 - 21s = 0$

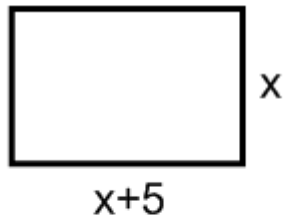
47.  $45n^2 + 10n = 0$

48.  $4x^2 - 20x + 25 = 0$

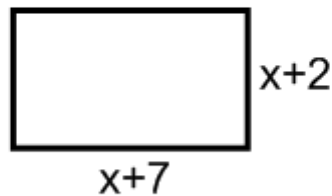
49.  $4p^2 + 12p + 9 = 0$

Find the value of  $x$ .

50. Area = 36



51. Area = 84



**PART C:**

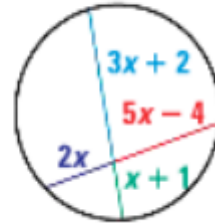
52. A rectangular deck for a recreation center is 21 feet long by 20 feet wide. Its area is to be halved by subtracting the same distance  $x$  from the length and the width. Write and solve an equation to find the value of  $x$ . What are the deck's new dimensions?

53. **CHALLENGE** A grocery store wants to double the area of its parking lot by expanding the existing lot as shown. By what distance  $x$  should the lot be expanded?



54. A surfboard shop sells 45 surfboards per month when it charges \$500 per surfboard. For each \$20 decrease in price, the store sells 5 more surfboards per month. How much should the shop charge per surfboard in order to maximize monthly revenue?

55. **CHALLENGE** Recall from geometry the theorem about the products of the lengths of segments of two chords that intersect in the interior of a circle. Use this theorem to find the value of  $x$  in the diagram.



## Unit 3 Homework Answers

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1.  $(x+5)(x+1)$
2.  $(x-5)(x-2)$
3.  $(a-11)(a-2)$
4.  $(r+8)(r+7)$
5.  $(q-7)(q-4)$
6.  $(b+8)(b-5)$
7.  $(x+6)(x-6)$
8.  $(2x+3)(x+1)$
9.  $(3n+4)(n+1)$
10.  $(3n+1)(3n-1)$
11.  $x = 2, 6$
12.  $x = 5, 6$
13.  $x = -7, 5$
14.  $a = -7, 7$
15.  $b = 3$
16.  $c = -4, -1$
17. Can't be factored
18.  $(x+6)(x-6)$
19.  $(x-9)(x+2)$
20. Can't be factored
21.  $(x+12)(x-3)$
22.  $(m+13)(m-5)$
23.  $(b+9)(b-9)$
24.  $(4r+1)(r+1)$
25.  $(3p+1)(2p+1)$
26.  $(11z-9)(z+1)$
27.  $(5x-4)(3x+2)$
28. Can't be factored
29.  $(7m-3)(2m+1)$
30.  $(9d+5)(d-2)$
31.  $(2r+5)(2r-5)$
32.  $(7n+4)(7n-4)$
33.  $4(3x+5)(x-2)$
34.  $2(3z+4)(3z+2)$
35.  $2(4v+1)(4v-1)$
36.  $6u(u-4)$
37.  $3(2m-3)(2m-3)$
38.  $n = 0, 6$
39.  $t = -5$
40.  $w = 4, 12$
41.  $m = 0, 7$
42.  $x = 7$
43.  $y = -7, 4$
44.  $x = -\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$
45.  $q = -2, 2$
46.  $s = 0, \frac{3}{2}$
47.  $n = 0, -\frac{2}{9}$
48.  $x = \frac{5}{2}$
49.  $p = -\frac{3}{2}$
50.  $x = 4$
51.  $x = 5$
52.  $0.5(21)(20) = (21-x)(20-x)$ ; 15 ft. by 14 ft.
53. 60 ft.
54. \$340
55.  $x = 2$